

## Fancy Xmas Suggestions

Fancy Large Smyrna Figs for the table, per lb. . . . 35c  
Ontario Hickory Nut, per lb. . . . 50c  
Real Butter Nuts, a treat, per lb. . . . 40c  
Xmas Candies, per lb. . . . 17c to 50c  
Fancy Mixed Chocolates, larger boxes \$1.00 to \$1.50  
Table Raisins, 1 lb. boxes, each . . . . 25c

Christmas Greetings to You and Yours,  
and may the New Year be bigger and  
more prosperous than ever.

**F. L. SIMINGTON & CO.**  
VULCAN

## Greetings.



As the holidays approach, we want to extend  
to you the Season's Greetings. May you enjoy  
a Merry Christmas and a Bright and Prosperous New Year.

We want to express at the same time, our appreciation of the business you have given us.  
We are counting upon seeing you often during 1930, and are looking forward to a continuance of our pleasant relations in the past.

## Pyramid Motors

LIMITED  
VULCAN FORD DEALERS  
Phone 130 Vulcan, Alberta

## Merry Christmas

At this time we wish to thank you for your  
generous support during the year

**1929**

Our success we owe to you—we hope we have  
served you in a satisfactory manner.

**Our Motto is "Satisfied Customers."**

**1/3 OFF OVERCOATS**

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QUALITY AT FAIR PRICES

## Greetings

To extend to you the  
Compliments  
of the Season with Sincere  
Wishes for a New Year,  
that will bring to you the  
very best of all  
good things—

## D.C. JONES

DRUGS AND STATIONERY  
DAY PHONE  
12  
VULCAN, ALBERTA

### CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Dowling desire  
to tender thanks for sympathy and  
assistance so freely given during  
their sad bereavement and for flowers  
sent to the funeral of their dear  
daughter.

### CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hubbard wish  
to tender thanks for kindness shown  
during the sickness of their son, Kenneth  
and for sympathy evinced by the  
many beautiful flowers sent to the  
funeral.

### ITEMS PICKED UP AROUND THE CLUB

We now have hockey weather and  
a hockey team coming right along so  
what more can one wish for unless it  
be the championship.

The festive season is almost on us,  
but to date we have had no invitations,  
and for your information we may say  
that we have not written Uncle.  
Even our Edmonton uncle remains  
silent.

Of course everyone will be at the  
hockey game on Thursday night giving  
the boys a good send off. Do this  
and you will be surprised at what we  
may yet accomplish in this line of  
sport—a little encouragement will go  
a long way, and as the players are all  
home town boys they deserve everything  
you can give them. Get together  
boys and help put it over.

What with Nash cars insisting on  
backing up, and Ford cars that don't  
ford, our friends have an awful time  
getting to town, and a much harder  
time getting home. Oh yes.

Well thou hasn't almost persuaded  
me to be a curler. After getting every  
shot illustrated on the supper table,  
and hearing curling talk all day long  
it is hard to refrain—but, oh well—  
Don't think I will get off with  
this crack. I won't.

Roses are red, Violets are white—  
Violets aren't white. They are—I  
saw them on the line yesterday. So  
that settled it.

Just a word to congratulate the  
boss on the Christmas number. I  
know you guys think I am fishing for  
a raise, but I ain't, and I won't get it  
anyway.

We will close our discourse this  
week by wishing, all our dear  
brethren (ladies don't read this  
column) a very, very, Merry Christmas  
(emphasis on the "Merry," Mr. Printer).  
See you after the yearly session.

Patrons of the local skating rink  
will learn with much pleasure that  
the committee has arranged for the  
installation of an orchestra at an  
early date. This will provide music  
for skating at all times.



De Laval  
Roy Walker  
Vulcan  
Phone 33

### ANOTHER SUCCESS

The bridge and whist games under  
the auspices of the Canadian Legion  
at the Memorial Hall last Wednesday  
were again much enjoyed by a large  
crowd.

The winners were: Bridge—Gent's  
first, Mr. Sam Finland, 2801; ladies'  
first, Mrs. Merkle, 2983; gent's consolation,  
J. B. Marshall, 1085; ladies' consolation,  
Mrs. G. McKay, 805. Whist: Gent's first,  
Mr. George Monkman, 198; ladies' first,  
Mrs. Robert Middleton, 207; gent's consolation,  
Mr. Floyd Bloomfield, 142; ladies' consolation,  
Mrs. Emery, 127.

The next event of the series will  
take place on Thursday, January 9th,  
and it is looked forward to with much  
pleasure.

### MAPLE LEAF GIRLS' BUSINESS MEETING

The Maple Leaf Girls' Club met at  
the home of Mrs. Robert Higgins on  
Saturday, December 7th. Meeting  
opened by singing "O Canada" and  
repeating the creed.

A pie and dance will be held at  
Harvey school on January 3.

A donation of ten dollars was voted  
to be sent to the Junior Red Cross  
at Calgary.

The election of officers for the new  
year resulted as follows: president,  
Ruth Wylie; secretary, Mary Andrews;  
auditors, Louise Flueck and Mary Brown;  
treasurer, Mrs. Robert Higgins; courtesy  
committee, Doris Brown and Althea Gonyea;  
press agent, Mrs. Geo. Hutton; program  
committee, Mrs. R. Higgins and Miss  
Mary Brown.

The program at this meeting consisted  
of jokes and riddles, recitation by  
Dorothy Andrews, song by Mrs. R.  
Higgins and Mary Brown.

Miss Mary Andrews moved the adjournment.

Meeting closed by singing  
"God Save the King," and the hostess  
Mrs. R. Higgins, served a delicious  
lunch.

### LOCAL ITEMS

St. Aldhelm's W. A. will hold the annual  
Christmas Bazaar on Saturday, Dec. 21.  
Ladies' Hats—\$1.25 to 3.00—Osborne's  
Millinery Shoppe. Adv't

Mrs. O'Dwyer and Mrs. Schwartz were  
joint hostesses at a tea held at the  
home in aid of the Hearst Sunshine Fund  
on Wednesday this week. The sum of  
\$21.60 was realized.

The monthly meeting of the C.W.L.  
was held last Thursday at the home  
of Mrs. D. McIntyre. The ladies decided  
to hold a tea, Saturday the 21st. Also  
in the evening there will be a Christmas  
tree and entertainment. After the  
meeting Mrs. G. Finnigan and Mrs. C.  
Smith served a dainty lunch. Mr. and  
Mrs. Frank Middleton, Miss Ruth Johnson  
and Mr. S. Johnson motored to Calgary  
on Tuesday to spend the remainder of the week.

The editor of the Hanna Herald  
gave a well merited rebuke to one of  
those self-appointed up-lifters who  
styled Hanna as "a city of drunkenness  
with bottles to be found on every  
doorstep and beer in everyone's cellar."  
In short a drunkard's "Rock Candy  
Mountain." These wild assertions  
were made in the pulpit by a  
temperance advocate in another town  
nearby. The statements made regarding  
the liquor conditions existing in Hanna  
are so untrue that they refute themselves.  
The prohibition cause is not helped  
much by foolish vapors of such self-appointed  
zealots.

### UNITED CHURCH NOTES

Special Christmas services at the  
United Church next Sunday morning  
and evening:

11 a.m.—"Keeping Christ in Christmas."  
Music by the junior choir; chorus  
"Away in a Manger"; trio, "Hark the  
Herald Angels Sing"; anthem, "Christmas."

7.30 p.m.—"Good Tidings of Great Joy."  
Special Christmas music by the  
senior choir; chorus "Silent Night";  
solo "O Holy Night" by Miss Spencer;  
male quartette "Good King Wenceslas";  
"First Noel," by the choir; solo  
"Star of Bethlehem," by Mayor Butchart;  
ladies' quartette, "Christmas Starlight";  
anthem, "And There Were Shepherds";  
violin obligato by C. Kettleston, solo part  
taken by Mrs. White.

Christmas tree and entertainment  
on Friday night of this week at 8  
o'clock. Parents and friends of the  
children are cordially invited. An  
offering will be taken at the close of  
the entertainment towards the work of  
the Sunday school.

Bible class Sunday afternoon at  
2.30 Study lesson "Bunyan's Pilgrims'  
Progress." A hearty invitation  
is extended to all adults and young  
men and women to spend a  
pleasant Sunday afternoon with  
"John Bunyan." Mr. J. H. Wycherly  
will be in charge of the class.

## Success is Assured for District Hockey League

A meeting was held in the Memorial hall on Saturday last to consider the formation of a hockey league and the following towns were represented: Brant, Barons, Champion and Vulcan. It was decided to form a hockey league to be known as the "Wheat Belt League," and the following were appointed to the league executive: President, Colin McInnes, Vulcan; H. Frame, Brant; Norman Harris, Barons; J. D. Henderson, Champion; Don Devereaux, Vulcan. G. D. Munro, Vulcan, is league secretary. The teams forming the league will play a double schedule with a play-off between the team winning the first half of the schedule, and the winner of the second half. There is more than a possibility that the handsome cup donated by the late Mr. Leverington for competition amongst the teams in the old Wheat Belt league will be returned to Vulcan and be up for competition amongst the teams in the league. If enthusiasm counts for anything the league should be a success and all it requires to make it so is the support of the public. All players will be strictly amateur and must be registered with the league secretary. The first game will be at Vulcan on Thursday, December 19th when Brant will supply the opposition. The schedule will be drawn up and published in the next issue of the Advocate. There is enough hockey material in Vulcan to make two teams and as the players are all local boys they deserve the whole-hearted support of the town and district.

### CURLING NOTES

In the season's opening competition President vs. Vice President, the former had an easy victory, and as a result the latter's side were hosts at a supper in the Liberty cafe on Tuesday. This was a very pleasant function and was much enjoyed by the good crowd present.

The attendance at the supper was exceptionally large, and the management of the Liberty is to be congratulated on the excellence of the meal as well as on the service rendered.

After supper, Mr. E. King, vice-president made a few remarks and then called on Mr. Frank Keiver, president, to take charge of the proceedings.

Very brief remarks were made in reference to the forthcoming Foothills Bouspelt by Mayor Butchart, Rev. J. N. Brunton, Dr. Carson, and Messrs N. Holmes, A. J. Flood, Dyce Allan, R. L. Elves, P. McAskie, T. Whittingham, W. A. Howes, Picken H. S. Sutherland, D. D. McQueen.

### LADY CURLERS

Vulcan lady curlers have already commenced the season's play and we have much pleasure in printing the personnel of the rinks. Miss McInnes is the secretary.

Mrs. Jack Marshall, skip; Mrs. Peterson, 3rd, Mrs. Brooks, 2nd, Mrs. Raine, lead.

Mrs. Flood, skip; Miss McInnes, Mrs. Mutz, Mrs. Picken.

Mrs. King, skip; Mrs. McAskie, Mrs. McAllister; Mrs. H. Buck.

Mrs. Beardsley, skip, Mrs. Wolfe, Miss J. Packwood, Miss Cline.

Mrs. Loiselle, skip; Mrs. Munro, Mrs. Schenek, Mrs. Fletcher.

Mrs. Denbigh, skip; Mrs. Vaughn, Mrs. Roe, Miss Simpson.

Mrs. Jim Marshall, skip; Mrs. Ulrich, Mrs. Hunt, Miss T. Willows.

Spare—Miss Chambers.

### LOCAL ITEMS

On a cold morning—prove REGAL GASOLINE. Adv't

Gifts for the ladies at Osborne's Millinery Shoppe. Adv't

"Be sure to take in the Christmas eve dance at the Memorial hall—in advertisement."

Services at St. Aldhelm's Church on Sunday, December 22nd as follows: Sunday School 10 a.m.; Matins 11 a.m.; and Evening 7.30.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Mensinger, who recently purchased the Graham property, have moved to town to spend the winter.

K. R. McLean, of McLean & Anderson, Sight Specialists, 224 8th Avenue West, Calgary, visits the King Drug Store Saturday, December 7th. Make appointments at Drug Store.

Tapping a cigarette on the thumb-nail is nice, but for true elegance the curving of the little finger while drinking a soda still holds first place.

Judging from the large attendance at the Vulcan arena last Wednesday night, it promises to be a very good season. It has been reported that those holding season tickets will be allowed to skate on Sunday.

The past year has been one of marked progress for the Alberta Wheat Pool. The annual report shows an increase in membership during the year of 5,819. Total membership at October 31st, 1929, was 40,915 with 4,625,309 acres under contract.

The Calgary Chinooks were "taken to the cleaners" last Saturday night by the Edmonton Grads, the world champion basketball players, when at the end of the game the score totaled 56-9. The game was played in the Crescent Heights high school gymnasium. This game was of much interest to Vulcan as one of the local girls, Isabel Flood, plays right forward for the Chinooks. The Chinooks have played and won many games in Calgary and proved themselves to be one of Calgary's best lady teams.

### BOW RIVER BRIDGE CLUB

The above club met at the home of Mr. A. J. Kennedy last week. The winner of the gent's first prize was Mr. John Jensen, and Mrs. Ervin was the winner of the ladies' first; consolation prizes went to Mrs. Jensen and J. Ervin, and as it so happened that all travelled in the same car some doubt has been expressed if this was, or was not, a frame-up.

We have to apologize to our correspondents at Berrywater and Thigh Hill, as well as to our subscribers, for a "mix-up" in our last issue. Our make-up man somehow got the two items tangled, and for this we can only repeat our regrets.

### FOOTHILLS SPEIL COMMITTEE BUSY

The annual bouspelt of the Foothills Curling Association, to be held at Vulcan, commencing on Monday, January 6, is anticipated with much pleasure by local enthusiasts.

Rinks will be here from Macleod, Claresholm, Nanton, High River, Okotoks, Arrowwood, Barons, Carmangay, Champion, and, possibly, Calgary and Lethbridge, and the various events will occupy at least four days.

Three open events are on the program, also the Grand Challenge, Consolation and Booby, and for all these the committee in charge is assured of good prizes; Vulcan citizens always have responded liberally on similar occasions and they may be relied on to do so again.

The local club is arranging to provide extra ice in the skating rink.

### A BOUQUET FOR ALBERT MUTZ

The Canadian Hotel Review, published in Toronto, referring to fire protection in Vulcan, says, in part: "The recent passing of a by-law in Vulcan, that provides for the establishment of a system of fire protection as a civic undertaking, prompts this first publicity to be given in extent to a private enterprise of a similar kind."

"This credit goes to Albert Mutz, proprietor of the Imperial Hotel, and those who have executive responsibility in connection therewith. Precaution prevailed and more than three years ago the equipment was installed. To an over-head tank of 7,000 gallons capacity, that furnished the gravity supply of water to the hotel, there was added a cement reservoir with a frame roof, of 30,000 gallons capacity. These are kept filled to the limit with water pumped by electric motors from wells that have been unlimited in supply. Another important factor in the system is an immense steam pump, with a discharge capacity of 500 gallons per minute, and this operated by steam generated in boilers that also furnish steam and hot water for heating and other purposes in connection with the hotel. There is a full time engineer employed. One thousand feet of two and a half inch hose on a wheeled reel are also part of the apparatus. All is approved by the underwriters and the combination of the hook-up is a well devised scheme to utilize facilities in a wide range of service."

Mrs. H. McQuarrie, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Charles Pringle, arrived in Vulcan Tuesday on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. L. A. who is not enjoying very robust health.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST NOTES

Church of Christ—Communion at 10.30; bible school at 11.30; Christian Endeavor 7.15; Evening song service at 8 o'clock. Both morning and evening services will be in accordance with Christmas, "The Real Meaning of Christmas."

Model well in northern Turner Valley struck a flow of gas at the 5200 foot level, estimated at over a million cubic feet.

Encouraging showings of gas and oil were obtained at Ranchmen's well near Aldersyde. The bit is still in the black line at a depth of 3800 feet.

Commonwealth No. 1 half mile south-east of town, is on production test from the Dalhousie sands, the same formation where Merland struck 14,000,000 cubic feet wet gas.

Much more interest than usual has centred round civic elections in Alberta. J. M. Douglas heads the polls as Mayor of Edmonton, Mayor Bullivant has been elected in Medicine Hat and in Red Deer, Mayor Snell was elected for the third successive term, on a very close vote.

The lucky ticket drawn at Brant, November 27 for the hooked rug was No. 163. This was won by Norman McDonald, Calgary. The proceeds for the Crippled Children's Hospital was \$39.50 and for the Brant United Ladies' Aid was \$107.50.



FRIENDLY, IS ALL.

Floyd Chalmers writing in Nation's Business, sets down "for American consumption, the oft reiterated fact that while Canadians may enjoy American heroes, pictures and baseball games, yet it will always remain Canada."

"Americans make such foolish blunders in their relations with Canada. Canadians nursing their sprains from July 1 national holiday, only know of the existence of the 4th of July from American tourists. Yet every year some American advertiser features some 4th of July advertisement in Canadian publications."

And again American advertisers keep featuring Thanksgiving turkey ads, long past the Canadian Thanksgiving day. They don't know Canada has early Thanksgiving.

Canadians are very friendly to U.S. They love "Lindy," but resent his being referred to as the first man to cross the Atlantic. They read millions of American magazines, listen to American radio programs, buy American goods. But the American influences are not dominant. More than half Canada is of British stock, a quarter is French. Three times as many were born in British Isles as in U. S. Canada is neither English or American or French. But is individually Canadian.

Canadians are proud that they follow the British system of hanging murderers instead of stoning them. For them the war began in 1914, and not in 1917.

The Canadian loves Uncle Sam but watches him "keerfully." To put it briefly, Canadian consumers prefer Americans to consider them foreign buyers rather than home market.

## Greetings

This Season of the year provides an opportunity to send to you the heartiest of good wishes for Christmas and a Prosperous New Year.

K. R. McLEAN, Registered Optometrist and Eyesight Specialist, makes weekly visits to this store every second Saturday. Next visit, December 21st.

## ERRETT KING

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## VULCAN BARBERSHOP

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Tub and Shower Baths

For Ladies and Gents

Children's Work Our

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Sanitary and Up-to-date

Open for Baths Sunday 9 to 12 a.m.

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## FREE TRANSPORT

An arrangement provincially between government and railway companies, has been entered into, whereby hay and feed oats are being shipped free from areas where there is plenty into those where there is short age. Mr. H. A. Craig, deputy minister agriculture, states that there is ample feed in the province, and the question of transferring it from where it is in abundance to where it is needed satisfactorily arranged for farmers.

While barley is not abundant, the provincial supply is being conserved in order that it may not be necessary to import any. This is due to the weed menace.

When a pedlar calls at your door, ask him what he does for your town and community. The merchants should ask printing canvassers the same question. Always remember that these people usually live in some other place and do not help to support the community in any way. Money spent with them goes to some other town or city. Buy from your home merchants. Money spent at home works at home and helps your community and yourself.

## FARM FOR SALE

N.E. 1/4 Section 10, Township 19, Range 24, West of the 4th Meridian, reserving mines and minerals.

Sealed tenders marked S.C.23808 addressed to L. F. Clarry, Esq., K.C., Master in Chambers, Court House, Calgary, Alberta, will be received up to Saturday, the 11th day of January 1930, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Location: Vulcan 14 miles. Arrowwood 13 1/2 miles. School 4 miles.

Soil: black loam with clay sub-soil. Improvements: Dwelling house 22x28 with lean 14x16, hog house, hen house, garage and shop, granary and stable 32x36, 150 acres cultivated, all fenced and cross-fenced, good drilled well.

Terms: 20 per cent cash on acceptance of tender inclusive of 5 per cent deposit and balance in two equal instalments payable twelve and twenty-four months respectively from date of acceptance of tender with interest at 8 per cent. per annum. Tenders must be accompanied by certified cheque for 5 per cent. of purchase price which will be returned in the event of non-acceptance. In all other respects the standing conditions of sale will apply. No other necessarily accepted. Immediate possession.

For further particulars apply to Burns & Mavor, Barristers & Solicitors, 412 Grain Exchange Building, Calgary.

DATED at Calgary this 30th day of November, 1929.

Approved,

"L. F. Clarry" "C. H. Smith"

M.C. Clerk in Chambers

Dec. 19-30

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Specializing in a full range of Fur Coats. We do expert Fur Remodelling.  
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## The Season's Greetings

With the near approach of Christmas and the New Year, we desire to extend to all our clients and friends the compliments of the season, and express our sincere wishes for prosperity during the coming year, with a continuance of the cordial relations existing between us.

## The C. B. Shimp Land Company

Vulcan, Alberta

## LOW EXCURSION FARES

### Eastern Canada

Tickets on Sale Daily  
DEC. 1 to JAN. 5  
From all stations in Manitoba (Winnipeg and West) Saskatchewan and Alberta.  
Return Limit 3 Months

### Pacific Coast

Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster

Tickets on Sale

December 1 and each Tuesday and Thursday to February 6th. Return Limit, April 15th, 1930.

### Central States

Tickets on Sale  
DEC. 1st to JAN. 5th  
From all stations in Saskatchewan and Alberta.  
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THROUGH CARS AND THROUGH TRAINS

To Ship's Side for December Sailings

The Ticket Agent will gladly quote fares and arrange your itinerary. Ask

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### VULCAN ADVOCATE

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Editor and Manager

### CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Almost two thousand years ago men journeyed to Bethlehem of Judea, bearing gifts for the Christ Child.

Down through the ages this custom has carried, from generation to generation, from century to century.

Christmas is the day of gifts—the day when the world is united in a desire to share with others, to think of others and to give to others.

Many have no great wealth of worldly riches, but there are gifts of the spirit, far beyond material tokens. We may share with each other, courage for the future, goodwill toward men, peace on earth, enjoyment of the good things of earth, reverence for the things of the spirit and a gratitude to the Great Giver of Gifts.

Christ illuminated the world with the warmth of his love, his fellowship and charity. Christmas sees the great yearly revival of his spirit. It is the world's heritage from his life.

### RE UNEMPLOYMENT

In discussing the acute unemployment situation, the Calgary Presbytery made the following recommendations:

1. That the mayor call a meeting of employers to discuss ways of providing work.
2. That the Premier of Alberta be urged to commence contemplated public work as soon as possible.
3. That the unemployment problem being accentuated by immigration, great responsibility rests on Federal authorities, and the Federal government should apply itself to speeding up public works program.
4. That the Prime Minister call to gether industrial leaders of Canada.
5. That provincial and dominion governments assume responsibility to relieve the immediate situation.
6. That our church members support bona fide efforts to care for the present emergency by properly authorized agencies.

### LESSONS FOR TODAY

The story is told of a peasant with troubled conscience who had circulated untrue scandal about a friend. He consulted a wise old monk:

"To make peace with your conscience," said the monk, "Fill a bag with chicken down, and lay one feather in each door yard of the village."

This done, the peasant reported that he had now done penance. "Not yet," said the monk. "Take up your bag and go the round, gathering every feather you dropped." "But the wind has blown them away." "Yes, my son," replied the monk, "and so with gossip. Words are easily dropped, but no matter how hard you try you can never get them back again."

Hydro electric power was turned into the Cardston municipal lines last Sunday. This power was generated by the Calgary Power at the Ghost plant 200 miles distant.

### WAR PROPAGANDA

Premier King has presented a British Columbia school with a copy of the Briand-Kellogg peace treaty. There is some discussion about putting one in every school.

Any form of peace propaganda, no matter how unimportant, is worth while, but a much more important policy would be to stop the propaganda for war carried on in the interests of the munitions and battle-ship makers and other manufacturers of war materials. The British Empire, at least, is thoroughly organized if one may judge from the announcements that heads of the Navy Leagues throughout the Empire recently assembled in London. These Navy Leagues quite innocently no doubt on the part of the great mass of Canadians interested in them, are the propaganda end of the battleship trust. They have become in Canada most aggressive in their solicitation of funds, and recently readers of The Post have entered protests and suggested the matter should be brought to public attention. A great deal of money has been raised in Canada based on charitable appeals.—Financial Post.

### THEY KNOW IT ALL

A couple of interesting examples of efficiency of postal employees have been mentioned recently. A letter addressed merely "Bert Huffman, Alberta, Canada," reached Mr. Huffman without any delay. Another addressed "D. M. Soole, The Homestead, Alberta," arrived directly to Br. Soole, at Banff without any side stepping.

While these men are probably receiving considerable correspondence by mail and are well known, yet it might surprise all of us to know what an encyclopedia of names and addresses the average mail clerks head is.

More possibly than any other man, he may be said to know everybody. In addition, he is deft and quick at thinking.

### TRIBUTE TO BENNETT

The London Times in an editorial about the Hon. R. B. Bennett's visit to Britain, says: "Such visitors are to be warmly welcomed as much from politicians who happen to be in opposition as from those in office. They all tend to provide that mutual understanding which is our greatest need. And Mr. Bennett's own personal ality will make his welcome the warmer. Thirty years of active work in that go-ahead Western city, Calgary, have made him a typical Western Canadian, with all the vigor and breezy optimism, characteristic of the West."

"A thorough-going Canadian he is also a thorough-going believer in the British Empire, a keen advocate of inter-Imperial trade, and of an intensive immigration policy."

### BOOTS AND SHOES

It is estimated that the per capita use of boots in Canada is 2.29 pairs per year. It will be hard to persuade parents that this is the case. Every year the Canadian manufacturers are extending their productive market and the quality of their goods. Their products are as yet mostly for home consumption although a small but growing export market is developing with U. S. and New Zealand the largest buyers.

We also import a large quantity of footwear from the British Isles and U.S. Men's boots are more largely imported from Britain and women's from U.S.A. There are 199 boot and shoe factories in Canada, employing over 15,000 workers.

## CHRISTMAS SPECIALS

Lutefisk, per lb. 25c  
Ryola, per pkg. 45c  
Ganong's Chocolates, 4 lb. box \$1.50  
Fancy Bulk Candies, per lb. 35c and 50c  
Mixed Nuts, 4 lbs. for 95c  
Jap Oranges, per box \$1.25  
Xmas Crackers, per box 75c  
Mincemeat, per jar 75c

Buffalo Steak, per lb. 35c  
Chicken, per lb. 25c  
Turkey, per lb. 18c to 25c  
Ducks, per lb. 25c  
Brookfield Sausage, per lb. 35c

### Greetings

At this Holiday season we feel deeply grateful for the consideration our many customers and friends have so kindly extended to us in the past year, and take this opportunity of wishing you a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

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Let light cast its magic charm about your home... add color to the Yuletide decorations... and extend a cheery welcome to your friends.

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Again there are the whispering snake in the grass type of individual and the victims whom they succeeded in poisoning—to this group you might expect us to say the opposite, but having received a Christmas training we learned very many years ago to forgive those who trespass against us, and to them too, we wish a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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## Season's Greetings

Forgetting business, but with lively remembrance of the good will it creates, and renewing wishes for your happiness and prosperity at this season and throughout the New Year.

## PASSCHENDAELE EXPLAINED

The Picton Gazette is one of those enterprising weekly newspapers which every now and again demonstrate their calibre by scoring clean-cut scoops on the big city dailies. The present instance concerns the Armistice Day speech of Lieut.-Gen. Sir Archibald Macdonell. Speaking at Picton, the famous former commander of the First Canadian Division, throws for the first time really important light on the tragic story of Passchendaele.

It is no secret, not only to veterans but to all those familiar with Canada's share in the war, that the Passchendaele offense, was by all odds the most ghastly episode in which Canadians were involved. All down the years since the war the topic of Passchendaele has been a favorite subject for argument and discussion among the former troops. The plain fact of the matter was that the common Canadian soldier never could see any sense in the Passchendaele operation, where meagre gains in ground were made at a positively appalling cost. Now General Macdonell tells the truth, the Canadian Corps was asked, with the rest of the British army, to sacrifice itself to avoid defeat for the whole allied cause.

The Gazette's report reads, in part: After these eleven years I am going to tell you the story of why Passchendaele was fought. I did not know why until two years later.

After we had taken Hill 60 it was planned that we should go to Cambrai to assist Byng, and I have wondered what would have happened if the Canadian storm troops had been thrown in there. A corps conference was being held. From where I was sitting I saw Haig's car drive up outside. The conference was adjourned for ten minutes. Currie went out, and he and Haig walked back and forth. Haig seemed to be putting a proposition to Currie, and Currie kept shaking his head. They came in. Haig said: "It is necessary that the Canadians take Passchendaele. Some day I will tell you why. I have just been putting this up to Currie, and he says 'No,' and only consented when I agreed that the Canadians should be covered by an artillery barrage satisfactory to him."

And then General Macdonell told the story. How 20,000 French soldiers had thrown down their arms. The leaders of the mutiny had been put in irons, and the French did not know how far this trouble had gone. France was ready to give up.

Lloyd George came over and he said to the French Government: "France is a sovereign nation, with the right to choose her line of action; but, no matter what France does, England fights on to the last man and to the last cartridge, and when the last cartridge has been fired England will win."

Clemenceau said: "France will not let England fight alone, but the French are in no position to fight now. If the Germans attack they will go through us like a hot knife through butter. You must prevent another German attack on the French line for the balance of the year." The only way to do this was to go after the thing that the enemy prized most, and so the attacks on Zeebrugge and Passchendaele were planned.

Thousands of Canadians know the rest of the story. No one needs to remind the former troops of the details of Passchendaele. But General Macdonell has made a real contribution to current war history in showing that the sacrifices demanded were not as often alleged supreme examples of staff stupidity, but crucial operations which saved the day when the Russian army was in Bolshevik revolution; the Italian in full retreat; the French on the verge of rebellion; and that of the United States not yet a factor.

### WINDOW SHOPPERS

Window shopping as a rule, leads to real buying, if the windows manage to present some powerful drawing card. It is a distinct advantage to shoppers and to merchants, when the price is attached to articles of window display. Price marks always arrest the average eye. They give a concrete significance to an article, which otherwise might register only as a pretty addition to the display.

If the price and article are both something worth while, the window shopper is very apt to take advantage of them. And having entered the store, she is also apt to see and purchase other attractive goods.

At this time of year, the Christmas shopper, has to apportion her spendings to best advantage. The merchant who can attract her attention with his window showing of seasonable goods and their prices, gives her a good working basis and saves the time of everyone concerned.

Civil servants of Alberta are appealing to the provincial government for a 10 per cent. increase in salaries. They point out that inasmuch as the provincial treasury has a surplus of \$1,800,000 for this year, it is not consistent that their pay should remain where it is. On the other hand it is said that the various departments are over-staffed and a reduction should be made.

## The Hotpoint TOASTER



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EVERY home should have a Hotpoint Toaster... and it makes a particularly attractive Christmas gift. Toasts two slices of bread at one time... and turns them automatically when the sides are lowered.



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## THEY ALL CAN SWIM

Since Prince Edward Islanders have had their names published over the continent as being the best boys in class, the ones hereabouts have been uncommonly hard to get along with. So in the interests of the plain people from other parts of Canada, U. S. and nations beyond the seas, we have been doing a little research work amongst the Islanders themselves, to find out if the land of their birth actually is a transplanted heaven. We pass over for the moment the obvious fact that our fellowtowns men are no longer there.

Frank Brazil and Charlie Farquhar son say the story is correct in every particular. No crime, no hangings, 13 policemen too many—nothing but innocent high-minded boys, foxes and seed potatoes. Frank goes farther and testifies "Though I was but a lad when I left home, it has been my life long effort to pick out nice quiet towns, where there were no hangings."

Reg. McDonald comes forward to state that the Donald McDonald who brought the entire Island to its knees by threats of fire and brimstone is not his immediate forbear. We believe Reg. on that.

To save us from absolute discouragement, there has come to the town a visitor an authentic Islander who has done yeoman service in breaking the closed ring of perfect virtue, which encircles all local Islanders. He says: "I don't suppose any of the boys have recalled that 12th of July when 13 Irishmen came to an untimely end. Not a shot was fired, all clubs and manpower. There's where they breed the boys with a punch. That little episode almost depopulated that peaceful spot."

It is undoubtedly true that there are no penitentiaries there, but what do you suppose all the water is for? Commit a crime and swim the strait. Another native son leaves home. I've seen the day when the water churned for miles with folks leaving the Island in a rush. Many a cross channel record has been made by those same brave lads all moving in a hurry. It is a pretty picture.

"We're all good swimmers," he added reminiscently.

### 200 ALBERTA WELLS

More than 200 wells have been drilled or are drilling in the province of Alberta, and plans are under way for the starting of at least 50 more next spring. Turner Valley accounts for 37 actual producers with an output of 100,000 barrels of crude naphtha per month, and 200,000,000 cubic feet of natural gas daily. In addition to the 11 now in the line there are 71 wells now drilling in the Turner Valley, five in the Highwood River Valley and three in the Black Diamond structure. There are about 20 other wells at other points in Alberta in addition to the 44 at Wainwright and the 14 drilling in the Ribstone structure.

The Prince of Wales will leave in January for a big game hunting trip to the wilds of Africa.

## Meet all your friends at the Christmas Eve Dance

in the  
**Memorial Hall, Vulcan**  
on  
**Tuesday, December 24th**

Dancing Commences at 10 p.m.

**Music by the Melody Five Orchestra**

Admission \$1.00, Ladies Free

## Season's Greetings

Just as the ties of friendship are strengthened at this holiday season so may our business associations grow in mutual accord and confidence. With best wishes for Christmas and the New Year

**C. Ottewell, Tailor**

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## The Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L.

VULCAN BRANCH, No. 21

Wish Everybody a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

G. D. MUNRO, Secretary.

## ANGLO DUTCH OILS

Will Have Acquired 30,000 Acres on 20 Different Structures When Negotiations Completed

When certain deals, now pending, are completed, Anglo-Dutch Oils, Limited will have a total of 30,000 acres of old land on 20 different structures in Alberta, according to an announcement made Saturday last.

Drilling will be commenced at Empress where the company holds leases on more than 5,000 acres, as soon as a road has been built into the location and camp and derrick erected.

The Anglo-Dutch holdings now include more than 3,000 acres in Waite Valley, and 280 acres in Turner Valley, 80 acres of which lie immediately south of the Merland well. A board of management has been appointed to co-operate with James Ryan, managing director, in negotiations for the acquisition of some 17,000 acres of land.

The number of directors of the company has been increased.

The grand champion steer at the Chicago Livestock sale, weighing 950 lbs., sold for \$7,700.

## MILLION CAPITAL

Ten companies with a total capitalization of \$1,495,000 were granted certificates of incorporation during November, it was shown in the November issue of The Alberta Gazette. Three companies in Calgary have a total capital of \$540,000; five in Edmonton, \$615,000; one in Lethbridge, \$20,000, and one at Milk River, \$20,000.

The three companies incorporated in Calgary are: King Development Syndicate, Limited, with a capital of \$20,000 divided into 20,000 shares of \$1 each; Lancaster Building, Limited, with a capital of \$500,000, divided into 500 shares with a par value of \$1000 each, and Wise's Limited, with a capital of \$20,000 divided into 200 shares with a par value of \$100 each. There is a growing sentiment throughout Canada for all radio broadcasting stations being owned and controlled by the country. Keep politics out of it and it should be preferable to the present system.

The cost of operating the Alberta Wheat Pool during the past year was a little over half a cent, a bushel, or a total of \$349,068.89. The handlings of wheat totalled 67,444,356 bushels.

George Melvor, sales manager of the Canadian Wheat Pool, in his report to the delegates, stated that the Pool's operations during the past year had undoubtedly prevented serious market slumps, that the wheat yield in the world for the 1928 crop was a record for all time and British grain merchants were of the opinion that wheat should be selling on the basis of 90 cents at Winnipeg.

## Greetings

The Holiday Season affords an opportunity to express again the pleasure derived from business relations with you, and we wish for you and yours a Merry Xmas and a Happy New Year.

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**Vulcan Herald**  
Published in the interests  
of the People of Vulcan  
and the Farms and the  
Farmers of the District.  
J. T. WILLARD, Editor.

And here we are at  
Christmas time again.  
The day when the flow-  
ing bowl is filled—and  
emptied. Well, far be it  
from us to be different  
MERRY CHRISTMAS,  
FOLKS!

The Scotch are trying  
to put over a law that  
will prohibit the cracking  
of all jokes about them.  
We suppose that is be-  
cause all the jokes are at  
the Scotchman's expense.

Indian: "Let's go on the  
warpath."  
Ditto: "We can't. It's  
being paved."—COLLEGE H.

Power farming in West-  
ern Canada is sweeping  
the prairies. More tract-  
ors were purchased dur-  
ing 1928 than ever before  
and there more tractors  
now at work in the West  
than at any time in his-  
tory. This is due to no fa-  
vor but is a tribute to the  
intelligence of the think-  
ing farmers who see that the  
tractor with its accom-  
panying power machinery  
is the answer to rising  
costs of operation. With  
the McCormick-Deering  
Duplex grain drill you  
double the day's work of  
a man. The man works  
no harder, but at the end  
of the day he has seeded  
twice as much land. This  
is a gain and a saving  
combined that adds \$5.00  
to the farmers bank ac-  
count.

When Liza presented  
herself for confirmation  
she was asked to repeat  
the Creed, the Lord's  
Prayer and the Ten Com-  
mandments. She got thru  
the first two fairly well,  
but she stumbled on the  
last. As she bungled  
she looked up and said in  
a confidential tone: "Fac-  
Ah ain't been practicin'  
the Ten Commandments  
lately."

And again we say—  
MERRY CHRISTMAS!

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**Good Equipment Makes a**  
**Good Farmer Better.**

## AT THE OIL FIELD

Turner Valley produced 99,369 bar-  
rels of oil during November, compar-  
ed with 102,466 barrels in October.  
Refinery delivery figures have just  
been announced. It looks now like  
the total for the year will reach  
1,000,000 barrels.

The famous Royalite No. 4 well  
seems to be pinching down, for only  
825 barrels were produced during the  
month. Home No. 3 led the wells  
with a production of 18,501 barrels.

The official report follows:

Crude to Imperial		
Royalite 6	144	460
Royalite 15	313	380
Royalite 11	nil	39
Royalite 20	633	823
Royalite 21	554	478
Dalhousie 5	1,080	1,709
Home 1	449	429
Home 2	268	596
Home 4	402	294
Foothills 1	3,167	1,288
Foothills 2	1,551	1,322
Okalta	nil	2,295
British Dominion	66	458
Widney	2,190	1,781
Total crude	10,817	14,358

Total to Imperial	82,905	87,520
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Regal Deliveries		
Okalta	6,122	6,190
McDougall-Segur	2,026	1,417
McLeod	5,179	4,710
Spooner	2,247	2,211
United	632	418
Vulcan	258	nil
Total Regal deliveries	16,464	14,946

Grand total	99,369	102,466
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Previous Grand Totals

September	89,020
August	93,299

Naphtha to Imperial

	Nov.	Oct.
Royalite 4	825	nil
Royalite 6	3,233	nil
Royalite 7	96	2,990
Royalite 8	3,168	5,221
Royalite 9	596	702
Royalite 13	111	128
Royalite 14	124	438
Royalite 17	6,754	6,661
Royalite 18	3,671	3,115
Associated	8,857	8,319
Dalhousie 1	2,616	1,150
Dalhousie 6	230	313
Foothills 1	nil	702
Home 1	11,852	15,344
Home 2	8,106	4,220
Home 3	18,501	20,366
Illinois-Alberta	1,464	2,304
Regent	1,884	2,087
Total naphtha	72,088	72,168

Royalite officials were engaged re-  
cently in estimating the potential val-  
ue of Royalite No. 23 which came in-  
to production following bailing opera-  
tions on Saturday last. The flow is es-  
timated at ten million cubic feet of  
wet gas. The drill is down to a  
depth of 5080 feet, 269 feet in the  
lime.

## ITEMS OF INTEREST

The town of Barons now boasts of  
a new curling and skating rink.

Captain Byrd has flown over the  
North and South Poles and back.

A northern farmer was fined \$10  
dead prairie chicken in his possession  
and costs or 30 days for having a  
It isn't always the farmers either.

Hon. P. J. Veniot, postmaster-gen-  
eral may be in the West shortly to  
witness the inauguration of the prairie  
air mail service.

The exchequer of the province of  
Ontario will be enriched to the ex-  
tent of \$600,000 succession duties  
from the Sir Clifford Sifton estate.

## CHANGE AT OTTAWA

Appointment of Crerar to Post of  
Minister of Railways a Good One

It is welcome news to the great  
majority in the Western Provinces to  
learn that Hon. T. A. Crerar has en-  
tered the King Cabinet and will hold  
portfolio of Railways and Canals.  
Mr. Crerar has accepted. He will re-  
sign his U.G.G. post and seek a seat  
in Parliament.

Hon. Robert Forke will resign as  
Minister of Immigration and will be  
summoned to the Senate. This will  
leave open the Constituency of Bran-  
don.

It is understood that Mr. Crerar  
preferred the Railway portfolio to  
that of Immigration, though if Hon.  
W. R. Motherwell should retire, Mr.  
Crerar would be a power in the Agri-  
cultural Department.

## EXPORT WASTE GAS

Toronto Financial Journal Claims  
Commission Will Report in Favor

The Financial Post forecasts that  
the Royal Commission appointed to  
study the wastage of natural gas in  
Turner Valley will recommend that  
export of natural gas be permitted.

Says the Post: "It is believed cer-  
tain that the commission will recom-  
mend that export of natural gas be  
out upon a different footing to hydro  
power and be permitted by the Domini-  
on Government. If such a recom-  
mendation is agreed to by the govern-  
ment, and it seems certain that it will  
be, the value of Turner Valley produc-  
tion would be greatly enhanced.

"In regard to bringing this gas  
east to Regina, Winnipeg and other  
prairie cities, there was a well de-  
fined opposition from Alberta coal op-  
erators who feared the loss of im-  
portant markets."

## EAR MARK GAS TAX

A. M. A. Asks That Auto and Gas  
Tax be Spent on Highways Only

At the annual meeting of the Al-  
berta Motor Association at Leth-  
bridge last week, four interesting  
resolutions were passed:

Favoring the appointment of a  
highway commission to handle all  
road problems, and have charge of all  
funds. Funds from auto and gas tax  
es to be earmarked for highways only.

Favoring the funding of a portion  
of the auto and gas taxes and the  
borrowing of \$10,000,000 to speed  
highway construction in Alberta.

Asking the Dominion government  
to build a trans-Canada hard-sur-  
faced highway.

Asking the Dominion government  
to vote a subvention of \$50,000,000  
for aid to the provinces in highway  
building, to be expended on a mileage  
basis.

## WOODS' HOME

At This Christmas Season We Should  
See That Orphans are Cared For

It is at the Xmas season that our  
thoughts invariably turn to the giv-  
ing of a helping hand to children. Un-  
doubtedly there is, within the heart  
of every human being, the willingness  
to protect the innocent child. What  
man would not assist an orphan child  
if some particular needy case was  
brought to his personal attention, and  
if it was within his power to render  
that assistance.

At the Wood's Christian Home in  
Calgary there are children without  
father and without mother—sixty-  
five of them. Their welfare, and the  
welfare of those children who follow  
them in the Home, depend entirely  
upon the generosity of the public.  
Their welfare depends upon your gen-  
erosity and mine, to be more explic-  
it.

Mrs. Geo. Wood, the matron of the  
Home, is doing a noble work. She is  
a real mother to all these children. No  
one can visit this Home and witness  
the happiness and cheer that prevails  
and see the contented, loving faces of  
that group of orphan children, with-  
out coming away feeling that this in-  
stitution represents a sincere effort to  
ward human brotherhood, and should  
be entitled to the warm support of  
Christian people.

Every room in this Home is taken.  
It is filled always to its fullest. A  
board of trustees, all busy business  
and professional men and women,  
give of their time to aid Mrs. Wood in  
the operation of this institution. The  
financial aid is given by friends of  
the Home, scattered all over this  
province. Readers are asked at this  
Xmas season to not forget these lit-  
tle orphan children at the Wood's  
Christian Home, Calgary.

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have ever heard. Test them for  
selectivity and volume. Then you  
will realize why Radiola sales are  
this year double that of the 1928  
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tric and Radio Corporation of  
America—a guarantee of satisfac-  
tion and value. Ask about our easy  
payment plan . . . today.

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New Battery-Operated Screen-  
Grid receiver in handsome table  
model. Price, \$97; with Radio-  
trons, \$120.25.

RADIOLA "33"

Compact, low priced  
Console of attractive  
design. Price \$75; with  
Radiotrons \$96.50.  
Radiola loudspeaker  
100-B to match \$25.

RADIOLA "47"

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graph combina-  
tion with built-in  
electro-dynamic  
loudspeaker.  
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music from air or  
records". Price  
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ham, the popular pastor of Calgary  
First Baptist Church, will look for-  
ward to reading his book, now on  
sale "The Silences and Solitudes of  
Jesus." It is a beautiful title and it  
is said the treatment of his subject  
is beautiful. The work shows him to  
be a gifted writer, a clear thinker  
and an untiring student.

## CANADA WHEAT KING

At the International Stock Exposi-  
tion being held in Chicago, Joseph  
Smith of Wolf Creek, Alberta, has  
brought back to Canada that "Wheat  
King" title. In taking top rank in  
the wheat sweepstakes, Smith has  
broken the two year hold which a  
Montana man held on this coveted  
prize.

The oat king title, however, went  
to C. Gaistafson of Montana.

## AGE PENSIONERS

When the cheques from the Alberta  
Old Age Pensions Board are distribu-  
ted next Saturday for the month of  
November 1188 persons will be in-  
cluded in the permanent roll of pen-  
sioners and for the four months dur-  
ing which the scheme has been in op-  
eration nearly \$80,000 will have been  
distributed among the aged in the  
province. At the end of October, only  
853 persons were enjoying the bene-  
fits of the pension scheme, but during  
the past month, 335 permanent pen-  
sioners have been added to the rapid-  
ly increasing number. The board offi-  
ces are dealing with an average of  
100 applications every week, and it is  
being found that the tendency is one  
of steady increase.



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With all Hudson's Bay  
Company Brands goes  
our absolute assurance  
of purity, age, quality  
and value.

Hudson's Bay Company





## Christmas Greetings

We thank our many friends and customers whose active co operation has meant so much in making this another successful year—and extend our best wishes for a very Merry Christmas and Prosperity during 1930.

**P. B. DISCHER**

Jeweler

Vulcan, Alberta

## Season's Greetings

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**B. C. Tailors**

## Season's Greetings

Extending you the greetings of the season with cordial good wishes for your prosperity during the coming year.

**Vulcan Light & Power Co., Limited**

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**THE CANADA CAFE**

## Season's Greetings

We are looking forward to a bigger business for the coming year, and hope to accomplish our purpose, largely through the co-operation of such good friends as yourself. Your continued confidence in us will make us strive to do more to serve it, and to make of our business relationship, lasting friendship.

**VULCAN SUPPLY CO.**

## Wishing All Our Customers a Merry Christmas and a Prosperous New Year

Christmas Mixed Candy per lb. .... 20c—Christmas Stockings..... 10c to 25c  
Bon-Bon Pure Candy, per lb. .... 40c—Christmas Crackers, per box. 50c to \$1.00  
Candy Toys, per lb. .... 35c—Candy in Boxes, 2½ lb. \$1.25. 4 lb. \$1.50  
Fancy Boxes Chocolates, ½ lbs. 35c. 1 lb. packages..... 85c to \$1.25

**Jap Oranges, per box - - - - - \$1.25**

**NUTS** Brazils and Almonds, per lb. .... 25c **MIXED NUTS**  
Walnuts and Filberts, per lb. .... 20c  
Peanuts, 2 lbs. for..... 25c **5 lbs. for..... 95c**

**McLAGGAN & MANSON, The Grocers**

TELEPHONE 131

VULCAN, ALBERTA

### KIRKCALDY NEWS

Mrs. Vanderberge and children of Claresholm are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. James Roebuck were visitors in Calgary on Saturday.

The Kirkcaldy school program will be held on December 20th. Everyone welcome.

Mr. Theodore Roebuck was a visitor in Lethbridge for a few days last week.

The Kirkcaldy Girls Club meeting for December 14 was postponed for a later date.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Mervyn Johnston, on December 11th, a son.

There was great excitement on December 13th when fire broke out in the Kirkcaldy National elevator. Being unable to extinguish the flame the Vulcan fire engine was called. Fortunately they succeeded in getting the fire under control with only the loss of the office.

The Kirkcaldy Women's Institute was held on December 12th at the home of Mrs. Herman Dunbar. There were seven members present and Mrs. A. W. Maisey took the chair. The meeting opened by singing "O Canada" after which the members repeated the creed. The minutes were approved as read. A long business session was then held after which we had the roll call, it was "conundrums". Then the drawing of the presents were received. The meeting was then adjourned and dainty lunch served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held on January 9th at the home of Mrs. A. Roebuck.

### DO YOU BELONG?

Are You Classified Among the Following. If so, It is Well

There are some people who seem to belong to the Christmas season by nature. They are:

People whose hopes always bloom anew at the approach of a New Year.

Mothers whose eyes still twinkle and laugh when they talk to their children.

Fathers who like to surprise, mothers with presents they really want.

Brothers who appreciate sisters.

Sisters who don't try to economize on brother's ties.

Children who want to leave sugar for Santa's reindeer.

People who never think decorating is any trouble.

People who just love the smell of Christmas green.

People who like Christmas cards.

People who like calendars.

People who like nuts and raisins.

People who like turkey all the week.

People who like plum pudding all the week.

## Vulcan Bakery

### GREETINGS

That your Christmas may be merry and full of gladness, and that the New Year bring you a full measure of health and success is our wish for you this glad season.

**Colin McInnes**  
Phone 80

## GREETING

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**THE LIBERTY CAFE**

## FOR SALE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

Private Sale Household Effects of Geo. Buck

1 Solid Mahogany Dining Room Suite; 1 Mahogany Chesterfield and Chair; 1 Mason & Kisch Piano; New Orthophonic; Solid Walnut Dressing Table. 4 Wilton & Axminster Rugs; 2 Brass Beds and Springs; White Single Iron Bed; Wicker Chair and Rocker; Quarter Cut Oak Dresser; Berch Mahogany Dresser; Sewing Machine, Coal Oil Stove, &c.

**Callat Buck & Howsons**  
or phone 70 or 77

## FREED RADIO

Freed Radio has behind it a wealth of experience gained from practical work in manufacturing and research. When you examine a Freed Radio you see a product which has been tested and re-tested many times to insure perfection.

A Special Christmas and New Year's Offering of 7 per cent. discount on all models. We cordially invite you to enjoy a free demonstration.

NR 55—8 tube Neutrodyne 7% discount \$198  
NR 78—8 tube Neutrodyne 7% discount \$249  
NR 79—8 tube Neutrodyne 7% discount \$296  
NR 95—9 tube Neutrodyne 7% discount \$377  
NR 378—Free! Elsmann Combination Radio and Phonograph Table Model Battery Sets at \$145.00  
Consol Model Battery Sets at \$183.00

**GLEN DAHL**

### FOR SALE

MACHINERY—Second hand Machinery Tractors, Cultivators, Plows, etc.—at a snap. J. D. McIntyre, Vulcan. March 14-15-c

FOR SALE—Or will trade for horses, 490 Chevrolet Touring Car, good mechanical condition, six tires rims and battery. Phone R3205.

FOR SALE—I have 1600 bushels of good Victory Oats free from wild oats and suitable for seed. Grade 2 C.W. Will sell this month at 70c a bushel. V. J. Bertrand, Milo, Alta. phone 712.

FOR SALE—Chesterfield Suite; Dining Room Suite; Winnipeg Crib; 2 Complete Beds, walnut finish; 1 Wringer; Heater and set of flat irons; Congoleum Rug, 9 x 6. Apply Mrs. Jas. H. Lucas, Vulcan.

FOR SALE—2 Young Holstein Cows, fresh; 1 Dual Purpose Young Bull; 1 Pure Bred Percheron Stallion; Some Young Horses; Harness; Bronze Turkeys; Toms and Hens; Tolemo Geese; Pure Bred Orpington Hens and Cockerels. Apply to F. Maiden.

CHEVROLET 1929 Sedan to trade for Grain Truck. Apply A. M. Myers, Ensign, Alberta. Nov. 28-2-p

FOR SALE—Or will trade for horses, 490 Chevrolet Touring Car, good mechanical condition, six tires rims and battery. Phone R4305.

FOR SALE—Four Room House in good condition on Main St., Vulcan. Apply to owner, R. J. Monds, Vulcan. Nov. 28-2-c

FOR SALE—Delco Lighting Plant cheap and in good condition. Apply R502, or John Jacobson, 3050 4th Street West, Calgary, Alta. Dec 5-12-p

FOR SALE—Purebred Yorkshire Boars. Phone R3412, Vulcan. Dec 5-13-c

FOR SALE—Peace Economy Furnace, 15,000 cubic feet capacity, in first class condition; price \$50.00. Apply J. E. Cowell, R1617, Vulcan.

IMPLEMENTS—One P & O three bottom engine plow; two 14 in. John Deere horse gangs; one three bottom John Deere horse plow; one Van Brunt 18-run press drill, all in good shape. Also a few pure bred barred rock cockerels. Prices right for cash. W. E. Roebuck, phone R1845. Dec. 5-13-c

FOR SALE—Pure Bred Yorkshire Boar; also pure bred bronze turkeys from A & B stock, for breeding purposes; toms 20 lbs. and over hens 14 lbs. and over; 40c per lb. Apply Nels Nelson, phone 1108. Dec. 19-3-c

PHONOGRAPH—\$375 phonograph in A1 condition \$150. Apply Jas. Taylor, Radio Sales and Service, Phone 3.

COCKERELS—Beautiful purebred Buff Orpington Cockerels from Cates and Hardy strain. Standard weight and over. \$2.50 and \$3.00. Phone R2505, Vulcan. Mrs. L. E. Richardson, etc.

Clifford, Sifton who died last April left an estate valued at \$3,287,231. Four sons divide the estate.

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### SATURDAY NIGHT AFTER SUPPER SPECIAL

95c—Another Shipment Rag Rugs just to hand 95c—Out they go, size 27x54, Special 2 for

**F. M. ANDERSON & CO.**

VULCAN

## Season's Greetings

May this advertisement serve to express appreciation for your kind favors and carry the wish that your Christmas may be merry and the New Year all that you desire.

**The Vulcan Shoe Store**

Telephone 116

H. Daines, Prop.

BRING IN YOUR REPAIRS

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**Flood Whicher & Elves**

VULCAN

## Christmas Shopping

For the Men who want something nice for wife or daughter—a few of the better things that are appreciated by all.

### Down Comforters

In Satin Trimmed Full Bed Style  
Sale \$11.45 to \$13.05

### Bed Covers

In Satin Bound, Fancy Checks, Pure Wool.  
Sale \$6.95

### Evening Dresses

In the very latest styles, all at real Prices.

### Linen Sets

With Napkin to match—a large variety to select from at \$1.55 to \$3.95.

### Bridge Lamps

Bed Lamps and Stands, something that make the home attractive.

### Fancy Pyjamas

And Dressing Gowns in 2 and 3-piece Suits  
\$2.95 to \$15.00

### Silk Dresses

For Mother and Sister—something Mother or Sister may enjoy for a whole year—at Close-out Prices.

Fancy Silk Cushions and Bolsters at Real Prices.

**We Extend to One and All a Very Merry Christmas.**

**BUCK & HOWSON**

VULCAN

## Season's Greetings

Cherished most among the gifts bestowed by the passing year is the memory of the pleasant relations with those we have been privileged to serve. May we extend our heartfelt wish for a joyous Christmas and may the New Year bring you health, happiness and prosperity in bounteous measures. We wish to thank you for your patronage in the past and are looking forward to the coming year with supreme confidence in your continued good will.

**THE MEN'S SHOP**

H. BUCK, PROP.

When Better Value can be given we will give it.